



Clay County, Missouri

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DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASING AND CONTRACT SERVICES

Bid NUMBER 16-13, Mobile & Portable Radios

ADDENDUM NO 1

Dear Vendor,

The original Invitation To Bid for Bid #16-13, Mobile & Portable Radios remains in effect except as revised by the following changes, which shall take precedence over anything to the contrary in the specifications.

Except as amended by this Addendum, all terms and conditions of the Bid remain unchanged.

Please Note: The format for this addendum will detail questions asked, answers given and clarifications and statements made. Q = Question, A = Answer, C = Clarification and S = Statement.

S: The bid opening date has been **extended to Thursday May 30, 2013 at 2:00 PM.**

Q: "Front mount and rear mount" Are you looking for dash mount radios or remote (trunk) mount radios? The spec also discusses features for dual mount heads as is common with fire trucks (additional control head at pumper panel) or ambulances (additional control head at patient compartment). I am assuming from the vehicle descriptions on page 7 no dual mount control heads are needed.

A: Have one control head in front of vehicle with radio trunk mounted.

Q: Item J. Factory Mutual intrinsically safe rating for radios used by fire service. This is a common requirement for fire department (especially HAZMAT) applications, but very untypical for law enforcement personnel.

A: Item J. Factory Mutual intrinsically safe rating is optional.

Q: Do the vehicles have any center consoles requiring custom faceplate bezels to accommodate the radio or control head 3F If so, who is the manufacturer of the center console?

A: All vehicles will require mounting of the control head with bracket of some kind in any available and convenient area. The only two vehicles with consoles are full of equipment and will have no more room in the console.

Q: Just confirming \$2,000,000 general liability coverage?

A: The County's general liability coverage is \$2,000,000.00.

- Q: This bid states that these radios are for the Clay County Ranger Division; however, on Page 6, Item 3.0, Paragraph 4 under "Mobile Radio Equipment – 700/800 Mhz P-25 Trunked Operation, it says the radios "may" require weatherproof control heads, etc. for **Motorcycle or Fire Operations**. This same paragraph refers to Dual Control Head and other configurations for **public safety departments**.
- A: Disregard any thing, Fire Service, waterproof or dual head radios for Law Enforcement specs only.
- Q: Are you seeking proposals on radios that have the high tier spec of weather proof housings, AES/DES and P25 Phase 1 and Phase 2 vocoder technology built into the base radio proposed?
- A: No on the waterproof housing and yes on AES/DES and P25 Phase 1 and Phase 2 vocoder technology.
- Q: Are you seeking proposals for the Ranger Division and Public Safety Divisions?
- A: Proposals are for Ranger Division (Law Enforcement)
- Q: Is the County seeking pricing on radios that meet the high tier Public Safety ratings include FM rated batteries? Or, do we propose equipment that meets the base specifications provided?
- A: On Portable Equipment just base specifications.
- Q: When you list out Option 1, Option 2 and Option 3, does this mean you will be selecting only one of these options? Or all three?
- A: Pricing: We will be selecting one of the three options.
- Q: As the County's specifications encompass several different radio configurations and options, is it okay to attach a separate price sheet for each type of radio so that the County can compare proposals with other vendors accurately?
- A: Separate price sheet: Okay

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Each bidder shall acknowledge receipt of this Addendum No. 1 of Bid No. 16-13 Mobile & Portable Radios by their signature affixed hereto, and shall attach this Addendum to the original Bid.

CERTIFICATION BY BIDDER

SIGNATURE _____

TITLE _____

COMPANY _____

DATE _____

Cordially,



Jennifer Rogers
Procurement Officer